



**RESPONSE UNDER 35 U.S.C. SECTION 1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE – GROUP 2821**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:

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AND RELATED DRIVE METHOD

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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL**  
**(35 U.S.C. §1.116)**

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Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action of November 1, 2005, kindly amend the above-identified application as follows:

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